

REMARKS

The Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter this amendment after Final. Applicants believe that this amendment should be entered because it will reduce the number of issues on Appeal by limiting the scope of three of the dependant claims.

After entry of this amendment, claims 62, 63, 65, 66, 70-73, 75-79, 82, 87-90, 99, 100, 102-110, 113, 118-125, 131 and 133 are pending. Claims 64, 80, 81, 83-86, 98, 111, 112, 114-117, 126, 127, and 132 have been canceled. Applicants have amended claim 63 to delete "goat" and "horse, camel, rabbit or rodent" so that claim 63 now recites the "method of claim 62, wherein the transgenic mammal is a transgenic sheep, cattle, or pig." In addition, Applicants have amended claims 87 and 118 by deleting "muscle cell" such that amended claims 87 and 118 further limit claims 62 and 90, respectively, by reciting that "the somatic cell is an epithelial cell, a fibroblast cell, or an endothelial cell."

Applicants do not believe that this amendment, which limits the scope of three dependent claims and cancels claims, should raise any new issues or require any further searching or consideration by the Examiner.

No fees are believed to be due. However, should the Commissioner determine otherwise, he is authorized to charge any such fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

Respectfully submitted,

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